CONFEREES GET RIGHT ON THE JOB

Meeting Held to Map Out dented yield; the cheapness of money, Program

Expect to Reach Agreement in Ten Days-Corporation Amendment Not Satisfactory to Taft-May Be Redrafted-Cannon Criticised for the Manner in Which House Conferces Were Selected

Washington, D. C., July 9-No time was lost today by the conferees of the House and Senate in getting together to map out the program for the many sessions that must be held for the purpose of putting the finishing

touches upon tariff legislation. Chairman Aldrich, of the Senate finance committee, and Chairman Payne of the House ways and means committee, agree that it may be possible to reach an agreement within ten days, but are not sanguine of their ability of getting the conference reports adopted speedily after they have been presented to the House and the Senate.

The manner in which the House conferees are [selected by Speaker Cannon is occasioning much criticism in the House and an effort is being made to have President Taft to take a part in the threatened controversy. Representative Calderhead of Kansas and Fordney of Michigan, who were "stand patters" of the most pro-

vigorous protest

with the President this afternoon con- out the upper door, and Dr. Ford the cerning the bill. The President did lower door, he being knocked by the not criticize any of the proceedings in safe or trunk out of the door and the Senate except the acceptance of down the embankment. The Doctor an amendment to the corporation tax is on the streets, but is by no means provision making it applicable to hold- as lively as usual. ing companies.

After the conference Mr. Aldrich said that it might be necessary to envision in conference.

Later all of the conferees, including the Demodratic members, met in the Senate office building. They were in session about an hour, when the ocratic members were dismis "We have been dismissed," said Senator Balley, as he came out, "and we will not be called in again until the majority completes its job of fooling the people."
Senator Aldgieh frankly told the minority that the majority would pre-

pare its report; without assistance, BIG TIMBER DEAL.

C. L. Ritter Pulphased 20,000 Acres fu

today between the Yellow Poplar Lumber Company and C. L. Ritter, of West Virginia, by which Ritter purchased 20,000 acres of timber land wing mostly in Buchanan county, Virinia, and also purchased from the
fellow Poplar Company their holdreds were cut off from the cars by a
long line of vehicles. Some lady relong line of vehicles. Some lady rethe machinery, timber rights, etc. The total consideration is \$500,000. New total consideration is \$500,000. New before they could get there, and hear-territory will be opened up by standing the remark I took hold of the bridle of a horse and said, "Open up Doran to Whitewood, a distance of a little and let use pass." After I had fourteen miles. fourteen miles.

EARLY GIR RECEPTION. Held of the " " Il xpital, New

Tor ... (Py the Assoc ated Press.) New York, July 9.—John R. Harly, the young southerner heralded about the country as a leper, gave a recep-tion tonight to prove that he is un-tainted. It was held at the New York

Skin and Cancer Hospital, and was attended by medical men, a number of Early's friends, and a sprinkling of the general public interested in the

Early who lately came from Washington, where he was quarentined for nearly a year, received his guests cordially and discussed his recent iso-

RIO GRANDE RISING.

Levees West of Erownsville Gave Way Yesterday. (By the Associated Press.

Brownsville, Texas., July 9.-With rain still falling in large volume in the San Juan valley, the Rio Grande is rising slowly and tributary streams are leaving their banks and flood conditions in Starr and Hidalgo counties have assumed serious proportions.

The levee west of Brownsville gave

way today, the waters driving a number of Mexicans from their huts. Near Mercedes, the Liano Grande Lake has overflowed and the town is surrounded on three sides by water.

ATTEMPTED TO WRECK TRAIN.

However it Proved a Failure-The Offender Escaped. New Bern, July 9,-A negro at-

tempted to wreck a train near Bay-meade on the Wilmington and New Bern railway by putting an obstruction on the track. A train ran over it without any serious results. The matter was reported. A section master passing found the obstruction again on the track spiked down, showing that it was the work of par-ties nearby. Officers were put on the train and located a negro house near by but the negro had flown,

Dun's Weekly Review.

New York, July 9. B. G. Dun Co.'s weekly review of to-morrow will

say: No one can now question the substantial character of the revival in the the delegates elected from the North iron and steel trade which is rapidly Carolina Rural Letter Carriers Assorising to high-water mark levels. The ciation to the meeting of the National wonderful change, in a short period, Letter Carriers, which is to be held in the activity of the greatest manufacturing industry of the country; the Pierce, of this city. The meeting is bright outlook for the crops, that of to convene in Rochester on Tuesday, Cherokee Scout, died at his home at corn giving promise of an unprece- September 14 and will be attended

Be Prepared for Emergencies. When a cold comes to you—or in your family—or a sudden chill—if you let it alone you are making recovery hard. A teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painhiller in half a glass



and the fact that the tariff bill has been passed by the Senate, these are the conspicuous features of the business situation. The maintenance of trade revival is all the more remarkable for this is the usual season for crop uncertainty and midsummer merantile duliness.

Revision of cotton goods and cotton yarn prices in an upward direction is under way. While higher prices are considered evitable, purchasing conditions are not of a character to war- Men Were Employed by Rival Conrant an immediate rise in prices. Further advances have again been scored in the hide market. Leather buyers continue to operate at advanced prices in all kinds of leather. especially in heavyweight stocks. Shipments for the week show a slight increase over the week previous.

THREE PERSONS SLIGHTLY HURT -TWO CARS OVERTURNED-

BOY CAUSED THE TROUBLE

(Special to News and Observer.)

Franklinton, July 9 .- No. 41 being late the Louisburg train started off on time. Just as it was passing the switch the last passenger coach was parted by throwing the switch by a boy after the front trucks had passed the switch, the last trucks going on car to pass to the passenger coach ters is with him. when the car was turned upside named in spite of the fact that they down. Dr. Ford received some painare outranked in seniority by Messrs. ful bruises and Prof. Caswell Ellis, Hill and Needham, are declared to be from the University of Texas, was also in the car having baggage looked nounced type. I after. Mr. Yates, an employe of the Friends of Chairman Payne say he railroad, was in the car. Jimmic after. Mr. Yates, an employe of the did not consent to Speaker Camon's Conway, who is always found at his selection until after he had entered a post, was baggage master. He was hurt worse than any one, but he is Senator Aldrich had a conference not seriously hurt. Prof. Ell's went

DONATIONS TO GENERAL EDU-CATIONAL BOARD.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 9.—John D. Rockefeller today increased his donations Dorchester House tonight at the din-to the General Education Board by a ner and dance given by the American gift of ten millions and also released the board from the obligation to hold in perpetuity the funds contributed by him. The gift brings Mr. Rocke-feller's donations to the General Edu-C. L. Ritter Pulphased 20,000 Acres in cation Board \$52,000,000. It is said by Chairman Gates, because the income of the present funds available. Roanoke, Va. July 9.—A big timber for appropriation had been exhausted land deal was closed at Tazewell, Va., and that the donation was necessary.

Mayor Wynne's Statement. To the Editor In leaving the base gone several steps I looked back and, seeing the horse down, hurried back to render any assistance possible. The check rain was cut and after one or two efforts on the small round rocks the horse regained his feet and was driven away.

I did not recognize Mr. Mangum at the time, and while on a car down the street told Officer Alderson what had occurred and asked him to find out who the gentleman was if he could, and tell him I wanted to see him. Tuesday morning I made every offort learn the party's name, and about 12 o'clock, while asking about it, was told by Mr. Jno. S. Jones that it was Mr. Tim Mangum. Failing to reach Mr. Mangum over the 'phone, I at once telephoned his family and requested them to say to Mr. Mangum that I wanted to see him and make good the damage, if any, caused by the fall of his horse. That afternoon about 4 o'clock I met Mr. Mangum on the street and, after talking the matter over in a friendly way, he suggested that he would leave it to three to fix the damage, which was entirely satisfactory to me. Up to that time I knew nothing whatever of the claim filed before Mr. Separk. Mr. Mangum then told me about the papers, but said as soon as he received the mesthem stopped. Wednesday morning we agreed that several gentlemen look at the horse and whatever they said we would abide by. The only damage found was a slight cut on the horse's left hind leg, but Mr. Mangum had gone to some expense and he was tirely satisfactory to both of us.

warded fifteen dollars, which was en-The horse was not jerked and did had I not stopped him, and it was nothing more than right that I pay Farmers' Union. full damage, which I did.

So far as I know no one has ever lost a penny by me in any way, and as Campbell, James Holder, and others. I told Mr. Mangum I would pay him The ladies are especially invited to two dollars before I would let him lose attend this meeting.

fifty cents. Mr. Mangum and I were on the street together yesterday and there is no hard feeling between us, and I make the above statement in order that there may be no misunderstand-

J. S. WYNNE.

Delegates to Convention. (Special to News and Observer.)

by delegates from every State in the Union. The other delegates elected from North Carolina were: Mr. J. E. Brooks, of Roxboro, who was elected delegate at large; Mr. C. H. Howard, superintendent to his successor, Prof. of Lumber Bridge; Mr. C. U. Monday, L. N. Hickerson. of Asheville, and Mr. J. C. Pierce, of this city.

Seattle, Wash., July 9 .- The board

Joseph Stephens Shoots **Ernest Shields**

tractors and Bad Blood Had Existed Between Them for Several Days -The Dead Man Leaves a Wife and Three Small Children.

(Special to News and Observer.) Wilmington, July 9.- In an altercation this morning at Sixth and Campbell streets, Ernest E. Shields, 30 years old, was shot through the heart and almost instantly killed by Joseph men were employed by rival sanitary contractors of the city as collectors Augusta to have a game or two the two for several days. This morning they met, had further words and through the heart.

Stephens claims self defense and has employed Herbert McClammy, Esq., to defend him. Both men have families. Shields leaving a wife and three small children, one of them the long switch line, which caused a only ten days old. Stephens is a man box-car and the baggage-car to go of small staure and was not the physupside down, Dr. S. C. Ford, of this ical equal of his adversary, and for place, had just entered the baggage- that reason sympathy in some quar-

MAJ. LONG RUN DOWN.

Killed by an Auto in Washington-Was a Native of This State.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, July 9.-Mat. J. W. Long, U. S. A., retired, was run down here today by an automobile, carried to the Russian Embassy and died three hours later at the Emergency Hospital.

Major Long had an aversion to auomobiles and two days ago declared: "If I had my way I would smash and burn every automobile in the District of Columbia."

Major Long was a native of North Carolina. He formerly was superintendent of the Michigan State Soldiers Iome and had written for newspapers in Michigan. He leaves a widow.

ROYAL MEMBERS ATTEND

American Ambassador Whitelaw Reid Give Dance, (By the Associated Press.)

London, July 9 .- Practically all t): members of the royal family at present in London were the guests at ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw, Reld in honof of the King and Queen and Princess Victoria. This was the second dined with him, but this evening, for the first time, Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria accompanied his

MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON.

Widow of the Late Governor Thompof South Carolina, Passes Away.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 9 .- Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, widow of Hugh S. Thompson, twice Governor of South Carolina, and assistant secretary of the treasury under President Celevland, died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. James Greer Zachary, in this city. Mrs. Thompson was prominent with the Daughters of the Confederacy. The burial will be on Sunday, from Trinity church, Columbia, South Carolina.

CLAIMS \$10,000 DAMAGE.

Mrs. Davis Enters Suit on Account of Death of Husband.

By the Associated Press. Norfolk, July 9 .- Eva E. Davis, administratrix of John R. Davis, deceased, instituted in the United States Circuit Court here today libel proceedings against the schooner Baker Palmer, Captain Smeed, and the tug Edna V. Crew, captain Jackson Miller, claiming \$10,000 damages on account of the death of her husband. Bond of \$12,000 was given by Wm. F. Palmer, managing owner of the schooner, which was released.

MOB ATTACKS LEGATION.

Displeased at Outcome of Decision Over Boundary Dispute.

(By the Associated Press.) La Paz, Bolivia, July 9.—At nine o'clock a furious mob attacked the Argentine legation. Troops have been called out and fears are entertained for the safety of the Argentine min'ssage that I wanted to see him ordered ter. The trouble is the outcome of the decision rendered by President Alcorta, of Argentine, in the boundary dispute between Peru and Bo-

Will Speak Today.

Dr. J. M. Templeton, president Wake County Farmers' Union, will deliver an address at the Oak Hill School House this afternoon at 4 o'clock, not fall while I had hold of him, but having been invited by the local union I do not believe he would have fallen to address the people of that section on the principles and aims of the

> Musical selections will be rendered by Messrs. L. B. Woodall, Donald

Scout Cars at Bristol.

Roanoke, Va., July 9.-The scout cars of the New York Herald and Atlanta Journal, en route from New ing on account of what has been published. York to Atlanta, for the purpose of locating a route for automobiles between the metropolis and the Georgia capital city, today covered the road be tween Radford, Va., and Bristol, Tenn.-Va., without mishap. The cars Rocky Mount, N. C., July 9 .- Among are staying tonight at Bristol and will proceed to Knoxville tomorrow.

> From Manteo to Murphy. On the first of the month Chapel Hill became a second class postoffice. Mr. J. S. Meroney, editor of the Murphy, aged 77 years. He was one Cherokee.

Prof. H. A. Hayes, of Reidsville, has turned over the affairs of county The contract for the building of the Winston-Salem Southbound railway will be awarded this month.

of hot water or milk will be the thing to save of later and greater trouble. This old reliable the United States and Canada today family remedy sale by millions of bottles and the next convention in Boston, May 10, 1910.

Seattle, Wash., July 9.—The board of control of the Epworth League of the United States and Canada today cream factory this side of Washington City, and he does not ask Washington in Boston, May 10, 1910.

CANCER CURED

We want every an and woman in the United States to know what wo are doing. We are curing cancers, tumors and chronic sores without the use of knife, and are inforsed by the BUSINESS MEN HOLD ENTHUSI-Senate and Legislature of Virginia. If you are seeking a cure, come here and you will get it. We guarantee our

KELLAM HOSPITAL, Richmond, Va.

WESTERN AND SOUTHERN TRIP President Taft Gives Out Tentative Plans-Wilmington, N. C., Included.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., July 9.-President Taft today gave an outline of that will aid in its development and the tentative plans for his trip upbuilding. through the West and the South this

The President has abandoned all idea of pisiting Alaska this year.

Deep Waterways Congress. After attending this convention, Mr. Taft wants to stop for a time in the Bayou Teche country of Louisiana, the land of Evangeline and Arcadia. From there he will proceed to Jackson, Miss., thence to Montgomery, C. Stephens, also aged about 30. The mingham and Macon. From Macon the President will go "home" and bad blood had existed between golf on the links where he spent so much time last winter. Leaving Augusta the President goes to Savanan altercation ensued. Stephens draw- nah and from there begins his northing a pistol and shooting Shields ward flight to the White House, sopping at Wilmington, N. C., and Rienmond, Va.

> PERTAINING TO PEACH PICKING Growers Cannot Harvest Crop on Sunday-Governor's Position,

(By the Associated Press.) Atlanta, Ga., July 9.- A peach is peach on Sunday, but while you may pluck it on week days, you are a criminal if you pick it on the Sabbath. Governor Brown has so decided and has put the great seal of the State of Georgia upon his decision.

From Norwood, Ga., came a hurried telegram today signed by M. Y. had delayed the picking of the El- favorably impressed with the advant- pleted. berta peach. If the growers were not ages of Raleigh from a commercial permitted to gather the fruit on Sun- standpoint, believing it to be one of money. Would the Governor issue a State. proclamation permitting labor on the peaches?

Governor replied:

ity to suspend a criminal law. I can- any other way. not therefore issue the proclamation you desire."

ASSOCIATION.

Meeting Comes to an End-Dr. Ferrell Principal Speaker Yesterday. (By the Associated Press.) Denver, Col., July 9 .- With a final round of department meetings, round table gatherings, directors' conferences, followed by a mass-meeting in

time during Mr. Reid's incumbency the adutorium, the National Education at the embassy that the King has Association closed tonight. Dr. Henry B. Faville, of Chicago, and was the principal speaker tonight. Dr. his Favil contended that the public schools are the guardians of the health of the child.

Among the speakers today President Slocum, of Colorado College, and C. T. Work, of Denton, Texas, President of the College of Arts.

TOM TAGGART ON STAND

Denied Knowing the Gingles Girl or of Having Any Knowledge of White

name of any cloud which may have been cast upon it by the sensational testimony of Ella Gingles, the 18laggart went on the witness stand today in Judge Brentano's court. He stated that he did not know the Gingles girl. He also denied any knowledge of the "whiteslave" clique. The trial was adjourned till Mon-

NIGHT RIDERS CASE.

No Attempt Made to Secure Release of Forty Men When Court Convened and Adjourned.

(By the Associated Press.) Union City, Tenn., July 9.-No effort forty men in jail indicted as members of the band of night riders, who murdered Captain Quentin Rankin, when court convened today and an adjournment was taken until Septem- to be held in Portsmouth on Monday

Order your ice cream for Sunday ranged. from Dughi. Peach cream a specialty

THIS WILL INTEREST MOTHERS

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, a Certain relief for Feverishness, Headache, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and destroy Worms. They break up Colds in 24 hours. They are so pleasant to the taste and harmless as milk. Children like them. Over 10,000 testimonials of They never fail. Sold by cures. all druggists, 25c. Ask today. Don't accept any substitute.

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of the oldest and best known men of "The Great Annual Dividend Payer." Hunter & Bro.

> State Agents RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH WANTS NEW R. R.

ASTIC MEETING AND EX-PRESS THEIR VIEWS.

Say That They Are Desirous of Having the Montgomery Lumber Company Railroad Build Into Raleigh.

The business men of Raleigh are always alive to any opportunity that will be of interest to the city and

A very enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the Chamber of Com- Young Man Who Sesured Marriage merce and Merchants' Association was held last night at the rooms of the He will first visit Seattle, whence Chamber of Commerce, to consider he will swing down to the Southwest. bringing a new railroad into Raleigh. W. E. Rudd for securing marriage operation of the road will be made, Going don through California, Arizona The road in question is the Mont-license for the marriage of Mr. Joseph and he has promised to report to the and Ne Mexico, he will go on to El gomery Lumber Company Railroad. Williams to Miss Ida Ellis, the bride Paso, where he expects to meet Presi- Mr. Guy I. Buell, president of the being under age, was heard before dent Diaz, of Mexico. At New Orleans Montgomery Lumber Company, and 'Squire he will attend the meeting of the Mr. R. L. Huffines, of Rocky Mount, brought by Mr. G. D. Walston, guarpresident of the North State Develop- dian of the young lady, who testified ment Company, were present at the that the young lady was under 18 meeting, to discuss the advisability years of age. Mr. Rudd stated that of bringing this road into Raleigh.

he thought the young lady was 18. This road now reaches a point nine Squire Barnes administered a lecture miles this side of Spring Hope, making and fined the young man \$1.00 and it about twenty-three miles from costs. Later it was discovered that Raleigh and the management of the disposition was not in the magistrate's road is determined to extend its line, jurisdiction and the case was sent on this city being looked upon as the to court. most desirable place to which it could Atlantic Christian College, is touring The proposition to bring the road Eastern North Carolina in the interest

here met with unanimous favor by of that institution. those present at the meeting. Various prominent business men of the county superintendent of public incity made short talks before those struction. assembled, showing the immense value of bringing such a railroad to the Wilson postoffice, has 20 acres of Raleigh. It was shown that a road the finest tobacco in Wilson county. from this section of the State would mean a more direct road to the sea, thus enabling a lower rate of shipment—to be had by the merchants Appears as if Figures Are Being and others of this city. Such a road, coming as it does from the direction from which the greatest amount of Commission is busil yengaged in makbusiness of the city is carried on, ing up figures on the corporate excess would tend to give Raleigh greater of North Carolina corporations, a possibilities along this line than it work, that has heretofore been in the has heretofore had. Both Mr. Buell office of the State Auditor. It will be Scruggs and reciting how the rain and Mr. Huffines spoke of being most some weeks before the work is comday they would lose much fruit and the most progressive cities in the

Raleigh now suffers from being Sabbath for the sake of the Georgia somewhat in the hands of what might be called a railroad monopoly, and The Governor took the communica- the opening of a new road giving a tion to Attorney-General Hart. The more direct line to transportation by attorney-general considered the mat- water, would enable it to obtain better and then shook his head. So the ter rates and quicker shipments. It also means that a new territory would "While I sympathize with the peach be opened to the business of the city, in the past. growers, the executive has no author- and one which cannot be reached in

> Without a single exception, every speaker expressed himself as being State Insurance Commissioner Young Thursday afternoon in the Richmond hartily in favor of the new movement, believing it to be for the best interests of Raleigh and a means of greater prosperity and progress.

This proposition comes from men of unquestionable integrity, men who have proved to the people of the State trol of fire waste, inspection of buildthat whatever they enter into is car- ings and the Firemen's Relief Fund. ried out in an honest and straightfor- He was greatly pleased with the meetward way. Mr. Buell and Mr. Huffines, while derives great benefit from such meet-

here, were entertained by the Mer- ings. chants' Association and expressed their thanks for the courtesies they treat, the Presbyterian colony in the had received. Before adjournment a motion was of cottages are being built, that imcarried to select a committee of five provements are going on and that the representative citizens of Raleigh to auditorium, which will seat 3,000, is

look into the matter and endeavor to now completed. arrange with the management of the road, satisfactory terms by which this new road, which means so much to the business interests of Raleigh. could be brought into the city from Spring Hope.

(By the Associated Press.) Chicago, Ill., July 9.—To clear his

year-old Irish lace maker, Thomas SEABOARD AIR LINE MACHIN-ISTS, CAR MEN, BOILER-MAK-ERS AND BLACKSMITHS.

> Conference Has Been Arrange To Take Place With Superintendent of Motive Power in Portsmouth on Monday.

Working forces of the Seaboard Air Line system will ask the management for a nine hour working day in place was made to secure the release of the of the ten hour work time which now rules over the system.

The machinists, car men, blacksmiths and boiler makers are to ask for the nine hour time at a conference with the management of the road. This date having been heretofore ar-

Representing the machinists of the entire system will be Mr. E. R. Pace, of Raleigh, chairman of the machinists of the system, and there will be present also representatives from the car men, blacksmiths and boiler mak-The conference will be held with Mr. A. J. Poole, the superintendent of motive power of the road. The interests represented will present a united request for a nine hour day in

VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL COMPANY LOSES BUILDING AT WINSTON-SALEM.

(Special to News and bserver.) Winston-Salem, July 9 .- The Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company suffered a loss of several thousand dollars by the burning of one of the buildings of their extract plant located northeast of the city. The origin of the fire is unknown,

CHERAW TO WADESBORO.

Build at Once, (Special to News and Observer.) Wadesboro, N. C., July 9 .- The At-Write for facts and compara- lantic Coast Line will build a line from Cheraw to Wadesboro, a distance of 25 miles. This road was surveyed in 1906, but a party of surveyors will go over the route and make a resur-The work will be completed as rapidly as possible, pound rail will be laid. Eighty-five

> The Farmers Union. The Wake County Farmers Union, of which Dr. J. M. Templeton, of Cary, is the president, was in session here yesterday. The meeting was well attended, but there was no informstion given out as to what was done at

Think about it! You can Dughi's ice cream at \$1 a gallon, 25 cents a quart.

it, the sessions being held behind closed doors.

THE CASTALIA RAILROAD RALEIGH SAVINGS BANK,

Raieigh, N. C.

osits. Call on the Bank or write for

further information.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

BOUND OVER TO COURT.

Dr. J. C. Caldwell, president of the

Mr. John H. Griffin, chief clerk in

FOR CORPORATE EXCESS.

The North Carolina Corporation

There are about 5,500 corporations

in North Carolina that are to be as-

sessed, and the Commission by steady

work is making considerable prog-

tices are sent out to parties affected

so that if exceptions are to be made

these may be given attention at once

A number of parties have appeared

to lodge complaints and ask changes.

While nothing has been given out as

to the figures there are indications

that the assessments are larger than

FIRE CONVENTION GOOD.

Hon, J. R. Young, State Insurance

concerning the State laws for the con-

ing and says he believes the State

While away Mr. Young visited Mon-

ASKS FOR A PARDON.

DEATH OF MR. McIVER.

Was a Brother, of Mrs. Henry Allen and Mrs. J. T. Watts, of This City. News has been received here of the

death of Mr. D. W. McIver, which oc-

curred near Pittsboro, on July 6, at

a. m. Mrs. McIver was a brother

of Mrs. Henry Allen and Mrs. J. T.

Mr. McIver had been sick for som

ime when the end came. He was in

his 69th year and is survived by a

wife, several children, and two sisters.

The funeral was held from Pleas-

int Hill Methodist church on Thurs-

day and the interment was made in

Watts, of this city.

the church yard.

As assessments are made no-

Raised by Corporation Commis

Given Hearing.

Barnes.

JOHN T. PULLEN, President. CHARLES ROOT, Cashler,

PRELIMINARY SURVEYS BEING MADE—BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD.

Special to News and Observer.) Rocky Mount, N. C., July 9 .- The proposition settled upon by the committee, who have the Castalia-Rocky Mount railroad matter under discussion, has presented the facts, exactly what each town may be expected to do, to Mr. W. L. Groom, manager of the Tar River Lumber Co. and also manager of the Rocky Mount and Northern railroad. In accordance with this proposition Mr. Groom is having this territory between his present road and the town of Castalla gone License for Under Age Young Lady over with several preliminary surveys and after this data is secured some Wilson, July 9.—The case against estimate of the building expense, and committee within the next sixty days whieher or not he can accept this proposition. In the instance that he can, it is expected the work on the continaution of the road will begin in the early fall. The town of Castalia has already called an election for the passing upon of he bond issue, the date of the election being on August seventh, Saturday. The committee from that place state that there are about one hundred and twenty voters in the township and it is thought that there will be little trouble in carrying the election, and that it will pass with but few opposing votes. Small Fire.

About eleven-thirty last night there as an alarm of fire which came in Mr. E. J. Barnes has been re-elected from the fourth ward, and was first sounded by the fire whistle at the electric lightp lant and was quickly followed by the alarm at the downtown department and the Gibson Hill departments. The fire was discovered in a closet at the home of Mr. Joseph B. Green at No. 439 south Church street, and bedding and wearing ap-parel to the amount of about one hundred dollars was destroyed. The building was not damaged as the burning goods was tossed out of the window. The fire is supposed to have either originated from spontaneous combustion or else matches carelessly handled kindled the blaze. Both the down-town hose wagons and the Gib-son . Hill hose teams responded promptly and were on the scene shortly after the alarm, but there was no necessity for laying off any hose or turning on the water.

NOTHING IN IT.

Report of Killing of Two Revenue Officers Into Thin Air.

The report heard in Raleigh on Thursday night that two United States revenue officers of this city had been killed while making a moonshine raid, proves to have been simply sensational talk and a full investigation yesterday showed there was nothing in the rumor. The report was were received here at night asking Commissioner, has returned from for details. Replies were sent saying Asheville where he was present at the nothing was known of any such event State Firemen's Convention and spoke and the rumor was discredited.

UNTIL TUESDAY NIGHT.

Raleigh Aldermen Have No Quorum at Adjourned Meetting and it Goes Over. The Board of Aldermen of Raleigh were to have met last night to take up some matters left over from the mountains. He says that a number regular monthly meeting, but there being no quorum the meeting was adjourned until Tuesday night. Present last night were Mayor Wynne, Alder-men Cooper, Ellington and Harden, Some of the other members are said to have been out of the city.

Malaria Makes Pale Blood. Mr. Kope Elias Reports Rain in the West as Doing Much Damage. The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTE-Mr. Kope Elias, of Bryson City, who LESS CHILL TONIC, drives out mawas in Raleigh this week, was here laris and builds up the system. For to see Governor Kitchin in behalf of a pardon for Cary Thomas. The man has been in jail in Bryson City for sixteen months, his sentence having Funeral of Mr. A. G. Denter been two years for additional forms.

The funeral services of the late been two years for aiding in an as-Mr. Elias, as do the other visitors denly on his farm one and a half from Western North Carolina, brings miles east of the city at 11:30 o'clock news of continued rains that are doing Thursday night, were held from Samuch damage to the crops. For about maria Baptist church yesterday affifty days there has been rain in that ternoon at four o'clock, conducted by section and the farmers are greatly Rev. Dr. W. C. Tyree, pastor of the discouraged. Corn has been hurt to First Baptist church of this city. The a great degree, but the wheat, which following gentlemen acted as pati-is in the shock, has escaped injury. bearers: Messrs. Will Taylor, W. D. Upchurch, Bart Durham, W. B. Jones, R. S. Barnes, Carl Hunnicutt, Nick DeBoy, Charles Baugh, T. P. Over-ton, Will Dunn, Will Nowell and S.

> Bond Issue Called. Kinston, July 9 .- The Board of Aldermen have called an election on a bond issue of \$50,000 for extending the water, sewer and electrical lines of the city.

Have you ever seen a hotel, baker shop, restaurant or any summer resort that invites their guests to see their kitchens? No. But Dughi invites every body to see his ice cream fac-tory at any time.

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JULY 11th, 18th and 25th

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	Henderson
	Norlina Leave 3:30 a. m., 1.50
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	Macon Leave 3:45 a. m
	Vaughn Leave 3:55 a. m 1.50
	Littleton Leave 4:06 a. m
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	Waldon Lang A.C. a

of Old Virginia. Children under 12 years of age, half fare. Under five years, free. C, B. RYAN. C. H. GATTIS, Portsmouth, Va. nger Agent, taleig,h N. C.